GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COMMUNICATIONS
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ATMS IN POST OFFICES
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to install ATMs in post offices in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any action plan has been sketched out about the number of ATMs along with places where these are likely to be installed; and

(d) if so, the details thereof, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR)

(a) & (b): Some banks have approached the Department of Posts for installation of ATMs in post offices. The proposal of the concerned banks will be decided subject to operational, technical and financial feasibility.

(c) No, sir.

(d) Question does not arise in view of `C` above.